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ASSAY, ASSAY FOR PERFORMING SUCH A METHOD AND PROBE FOR
USE IN THE ASSAY**

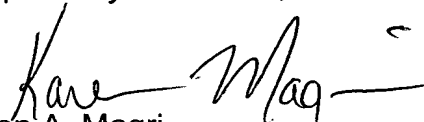
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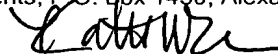
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